



AN ORDINANCE

BY COUNCILMEMBER ANNE FAUVER

05-O-0404

AS SUBSTITUTED BY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

**AN ORDINANCE TO REDUCE THE POSTED SPEED LIMIT ON
MONROE DRIVE, N.E. BETWEEN PONCE DE LEON AVENUE
AND MONTGOMERY FERRY DRIVE FROM 35 MILES-PER-
HOUR TO 30 MILES-PER-HOUR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the posted speed limit on some portions of Monroe Drive, N.E. between Ponce de Leon Avenue and Montgomery Ferry Drive is 30 miles-per-hour while on other portions of the street it is 35 miles-per-hour and the inconsistency in the posted speed limits has the potential to create confusion to motorists and to present difficulties to the police in enforcing the speed limits; and

WHEREAS, this segment of Monroe Drive provides direct access to Piedmont Park which is a regional park attracting thousands of pedestrians; and

WHEREAS, the City has requested the Georgia Department of Transportation to approve a speed detection device permit on this segment of the street at 30 miles-per-hour; and

WHEREAS, for consistency and safety reasons, the Department of Public Works is in support of the proposed speed limit reduction.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA,
HEREBY ORDAINS** as follows:

Section 1. That the posted speed limit on Monroe Drive, N.E. between Montgomery Ferry Drive and Ponce de Leon Avenue be reduced from 35 miles-per-hour to 30 miles-per-hour.

Section 2. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

A true copy,

Phonda Daughlin Johnson
Municipal Clerk, CMC

**ADOPTED by the Council
APPROVED by the Mayor**

March 7, 2005
March 15, 2005

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ADOPT

YEAS: 12
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 3

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
B Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	B Willis
B Winslow	Y Muller	Y Sheperd	NV Borders

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